

# Summer Trains To Atlantic City Start in June

Railroads Announce Extra  
Service Will Be Opened  
Weeks Ahead of Usual  
Schedule This Season  
Motorists Flock to Shore

State and Coast Highways  
Are Reported in Greatly  
Improved Condition

Special Dispatch to The Tribune  
ATLANTIC CITY, May 1.—Atlantic City folk still have hopes that President Wilson will accept the invitation to make this resort the summer capital of the nation. Hotel men and leaders of civic organizations have ascertained that the President has the choice of many seashore mansions in the Chelsea and Ventnor districts.

Good news arrived from railway officials this week when announcement was made that summer train service will be inaugurated early in June, weeks ahead of the usual time for setting the summer schedules. There will be extra commuting and excursion trains from New York and Philadelphia and a number of special trains from points south and west to accommodate travelers. New England is to be tapped for new passenger traffic with a train of sleepers to run from Boston by way of the Hell Gate Bridge, which will admit of Boston excursionists making trips from and to their homes in a night.

Motorists came in numbers this week and reported state and coast highways in much improved condition with arrival of fine weather. Traffic continues to arrive for practice before the spring tournament of the Atlantic City Country Club, which starts this month, and the yachtsmen are pleased over announcement that the dredge Abscon will start work at clearing the inlet entrance channel of the accumulation of drifted sand carried by winter storms. Fishing is improving and many sportsmen inclined visitors went out to sea this week to watch the work of professional macherel fishers, who are reaping great returns from the immense schools of food fish now off the coast.

Hotels are receiving final touches for the formal opening of the seashore season. The Raven Royst has been taken over by Isaac Bower, formerly of the Gladstone. G. A. Murphy, formerly a Philadelphia hotel man, has purchased the Hotel Biscayne, at the sea end of Kentucky Avenue.

Many notices were among the arrivals at leading hotels during the week. Mayor Hylan and his family, of New York, were at the Shelburne over the week end, and Frederic Courtland Penfield returned to the Traymore with Mrs. Penfield. Mr. and Mrs. Frederic C. Bartlett and Frederic C. Bartlett Jr. are in a family party from New York at the Traymore. Mrs. Gardiner Townsend arrived at that hotel early in the week.

In a New York party at the Marlborough-Blenheim are Mr. and Mrs. Cortland Van Rensselaer and Mrs. Maurice L. Montague. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas George Walker have joined the New York colony at the De Ville. Miss Nan McCool has arrived at the De Ville to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Harry, of Woodhaven, are at the Almac. Miss M. L. Keyes, of New York, is at the Westminster with Miss H. J. Rinn, of Brooklyn.

Dudley Field Malone was among the recent visitors at the Ambassador.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. London, of Amityville, and Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Whitten, of New York, are among the arrivals at the Strand.

## Hot Springs Sojourners Enjoy Week of Gaiety

J. D. Rockefeller Jr. Presides at  
Session of Medical Board of  
Rockefeller Institute

Special Dispatch to The Tribune  
HOT SPRINGS, Va., May 1.—The last week in April gayly continued the spring season here, and the Homestead has been a place of much animation. The sessions of the China Medical Board of the Rockefeller Institute held at Woodland Cottage were presided over by John D. Rockefeller Jr., who entertained the twenty-five members at Valley View at luncheon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Elmer A. Lord and Mrs. Sumner T. McKnight were among those entertaining during the week at Valley View. Recent arrivals from New York include Mr. and Mrs. Columbus O'Donnell Iselin, Mrs. Delancey Astor Kane, Miss Adrienne Iselin, Mr. and Mrs. Howard F. Chappell, Mr. and Mrs. J. Walter Wood, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Quackenbush Jr., Mrs. E. P. Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin O. Holter, Mrs. Charles H. Simmons, Miss Ethel Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Delaney, Mr. and Mrs. William S. Edgar, Mrs. Clarence Grey Dinsmore, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Davison, Mrs. Robert Rhodes, Mrs. Frederick H. Prince Jr., Mrs. James M. Beck, Miss Beatrice Beck, Allan A. Ryan, William H. Barnum, Harold Vedder, W. Hunt Hall, Albert Shaw, William O. Orton, Charles P. Haviland, Mrs. J. Amory Haskell, Mrs. Charles L. Eiker, Miss Gertrude A. Hoyt and Miss Margaret Strong.

Other arrivals were Mrs. Robert Kennedy Wurts, Mrs. John Frederick Lewis and Mrs. C. Howard Clark Jr., of Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur D. Little, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Grey, Mr. and Mrs. William Q. Wales, Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Choate Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Harriman and Mr. and Mrs. Joshua B. Richmond, of Boston; Mr. and Mrs. George Lawrence Claypool, Mr. and Mrs. James W. Friend, Mr. and Mrs. George P. Hays, of Pittsburgh, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Carpenter, of Providence.

## Charms of Westchester County Lure Tourists

Registrations at Briarcliff Lodge  
Forecast Heaviest Season in  
History of the Resort

The lure of Westchester County in springtime is being answered by an increasing number of tourists. Each day, one of the points of special interest being the Croton Dam spillway, which is overflowing this season. May flowers and trailing arbutus are unusually plentiful this season, and hunting wild flowers is one of the outdoor recreations.

The Briarcliff Lodge spring colony is being increased daily, and the management anticipates the heaviest season in the history of the hotel. Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Chase are again at the Lodge for their usual season stay, as are Mrs. Thomas Diamond, Mr. and Mrs. James O'Diller, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. A. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Benedict, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Budd, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bright and Mrs. L. Rockford, all of New York City. Arrivals for extended sojourns at the Gramatan include Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Thierly, Mrs. Herbert Hartley, Mr. and Mrs. William Kropf, of New York City, and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Kelly, of Vernon, and Mr. E. A. Morange, of Bronxville.

# ABRAHAM AND STRAUS INC. BROOKLYN

Store Hours, 9 to 5:30

Telephone—6100 Main

Weather Tomorrow Fair



Beginning the Second  
Week of the Greatest  
May White Sale

## Disclosing the Scope of Special Prices

Every offering in the Underwear Shop for Women is very specially priced, and it has been our desire to present through pictures and the printed word as many of the individual styles as possible. But their number is so great that the best idea we can give is through the following list of ranges of prices:

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| Tailored and Lingerie Nightgowns, at 94c to \$7.20       | Bloomers, flesh colored, at 76c to \$2.78 |
| Plain and Lace-trimmed Chemises, at 94c to \$4.98        | Hand-made Nightgowns, \$2.94 to \$98.22   |
| Short Petticoats, plain and fancy, at 94c to \$3.25      | Hand-made Chemises, \$2.58 to \$54.22     |
| Corset Covers, Lace Embroidery trimmed, at 56c to \$3.98 | Silk Nightgowns, \$6.08 to \$40.75        |
| Long Petticoats, tailored and fancy, at 84c to \$6.98    | Silk Chemises, \$2.94 to \$26.75          |
|  | Silk Bloomers, \$2.94 to \$13.75          |
|  | Silk Camisoles, 94c to \$13.75            |

The pictures illustrate the following garments:

- Illustrated A—White Batiste Envelope Chemises with narrow embroidery insertion and lace edging. \$1.46.
- Illustrated B—Pink Batiste Nightgowns with deep yoke of valenciennes lace, satin insert at the front. \$3.98.
- Illustrated C—White Batiste Nightgowns trimmed with valenciennes lace edging and insertion. \$1.94.
- Illustrated D—White Batiste Envelope Chemises trimmed with lace and embroidery. .94.

## Specially Priced Garments Not Illustrated

- Corset Covers, cotton cluny, with ribbon run edge, 56c each
- Step-In Drawers of white batiste, with lace edge, \$1.46 each
- Nightgowns in pink or white, with colored stitching and embroidery, 94c each
- Nightgowns of flesh batiste, with blue hemstitching and feather stitching; also blue bird and floral patterns, cotton crepe, \$1.94 each

Second floor, East

## An Important Sale of China

Several hundred 50-piece and 100-piece Dinner Sets taken from our regular stock and reduced for this sale Monday.

### American Porcelain Dinner Sets

- At \$11.95—Reduced from \$15.75. Fifty pieces decorated in pink floral border design on plain shape; gold line on each piece.
- At \$18.50—Reduced from \$22.98. One hundred pieces in blue and white.
- At \$19.95—Reduced from \$25.50. One hundred pieces with floral spray decoration.
- At \$22.95—Reduced from \$29.75. One hundred pieces with medallion design.

### 50-Piece Nippon China Dinner Sets, \$31.50

Reduced from \$39.75

Wide conventional border on tan background. Each piece is gold-lined; handles are covered in coin gold. Complete service for six people.

Subway floor, Central

## Reductions That Feature Fine Black Silks

Dress problems for any season can always be fashionably solved by black silks. By taking advantage of these reductions they may also be reasonably solved, for these prices are very low.

### Imported French Taffeta, \$2.88 Yd.

Reduced from \$3.48. Newly arrived from Lyons, France, and a beautiful lustrous grade of chiffon taffeta, 35 inches wide.

### Black Satin

- 39 inches wide, reduced from \$3.68, \$3.18 yd.
- 35 inches wide, reduced from \$3.98, \$3.38 yd.
- 35 inches wide, reduced from \$4.38, \$3.78 yd.
- 39 inches wide, reduced from \$4.88, \$4.28 yd.

These black satins are all a pure silk weave and the product of our best known American manufacturers.

### Black Crepe Meteor, \$4.28 Yd.

Reduced from \$4.98. A most unusual quality, 40 inches wide. This material is greatly in demand and conceded to be the most graceful of Summer silks.

### Other Reductions, not black Imported Shantung

Reduced from \$1.65; natural color, \$1.19 yd.

### Printed Foulard

Reduced from \$3.68, \$2.68 yd.

### Imported Printed Georgette, French Design, \$2.58 Yd.

39-Inch Crepe de Chine  
Reduced from \$3.38, \$2.68 yd.

Street floor, West

## Sale Extraordinary of 2,500 Yards of All-Wool Mixed Suitings

20 Patterns  
56 Inches Wide

\$2.24 Yd.

For Regular \$3.75  
to \$4.50 Grades

ORDINARILY these splendid fabrics go direct to the makers of clothing. But certain reasons on the part of the mill gave A. & S. the opportunity to buy its excess stock at a great reduction in price, and hand the saving over to A. & S. customers.

For Sports and Street Tailored Suits—For Coats and Separate Skirts—For Boys' and Men's Wear—the fabrics are highly desirable.

All-wool except for an embellishment of silk threads in some of the patterns. Over twenty colorings, ranging from cool grays, greens and heather mixtures to rich tans and browns. Many a handsome sports suit or man's golf suit can be made from the materials.

On a special table, Street floor, Central, and in the Dress Goods Store, Street floor, West.

## Women's Fashionable Gloves

Natural Chamois and White Doeskins

If one is neatly gloved one's whole appearance is apt to be attractive. This is but another straw that tells which way the wind blows in women's world of fashion.

NATURAL CHAMOIS WHITE DOESKIN 12-button Slip-on Gloves, with shir-ton Gloves (pique-sewn), red wrists. .... \$3.25 pair \$4.25 pair

Street floor, Centre



A Specially Purchased Group of

## Women's Cotton Frocks \$8.50

Smart new Frocks in the prettiest sort of models for Spring. The materials are of figured Voiles, some in the demure Challis patterns of years ago; dotted Voiles and the cleanest of plaided Gingham. Light and dark colors are both found, trimmed with crisp white Organdy collar and cuffs; Net Vestees and pipings of harmonizing colors.

Several styles to select from. Sizes 34 to 44.

### Women's Afternoon and Street Frocks Reduced to \$26.50

A collection taken from our own stocks in models that will not again be duplicated this Spring. Only one or two of a kind.

Charming Silk Dresses for all Summer—Foulards, Satins, Taffetas and Georgette Crepes. Most of them are in dark colors. Sizes 34 to 44 represented.

Second floor, Central

## White Voile Blouses

In the May Sale of White \$1.75

Spotlessly dainty in a variety of the most desirable and attractive styles.

Freshly laundered and worn with a tailored suit, nothing is more effective for Spring or Summer wear.

This assortment includes fancy woven striped voiles, some Blouses trimmed with lace and embroidery and some in tailored models. Sizes 36 to 46.

Second floor, East



A Two-Day Sale of

## Women's Spring Coats \$17.95

"A Sale with a Reason" explains the low price of these Coats.

The Reason: viz.: A well-known Manhattan manufacturer offered Abraham and Straus his remaining yardage of fine materials for Spring Coats at an exceptionally low price. Nor did he do this for love of his customer, but because he required the space for his advance Fall materials.

The Result: The A. & S. Coat Shop selected four of its best and highest priced Spring Coat models and had them copied with the materials from the Manhattan manufacturer, making just 250 Coats to sell at this remarkably small price.

### Materials

"Ivonella" (of the Bolivia family), Silvertone, Crystal Cloth and Wool Velour.

Sizes 34 to 44

### Colors

Pekin blue, Copenhagen, taupe, tan, navy blue and jade green.

Second floor, Central

## Cotton Goods Reductions

Voiles, Gingham and Linens

News items are constantly reminding us how unusually popular wash fabrics are, and modistes continue to tempt us with fetching patterns.

The following is a list of fabrics of quality at reduced prices:

Printed Chiffon  
Voiles, \$1.19 Yd.  
40 inches wide.

Printed Voiles,  
49c. Yd.

This is a special price on a splendid collection. The voile is a fine quality and the designs and colorings are shown in a variety of charming effects. 39 and 40 inches wide.

Printed Voiles,  
44c. Yd.

A good quality featuring lighter colors. 36 inches wide.

Zephyr Gingham,  
54c. Yd.

32 inches wide and showing a wide assortment of plaids and color combinations.

Irish Dress Linens,  
\$1.69 Yd.

Newly arrived and commonly called "Royal Irish dress linen." These linens are 36 inches wide, a beautiful soft finish and available in every desirable shade.

Subway floor, West

A. & S. Is the Only Store in Greater New York  
to Be Given the Distribution of "Short Sizes" in

# CREX

TRADE MARK REG. U.S. PAT. OFF.

## Grass Rugs

1266 of Them—1/4 to 1/3 Below Regular Prices

ONCE A YEAR comes this selling of the accumulations of Crex Rugs—the famous—which in process of making fail to measure fully up to standard lengths. We were fortunate enough, as a tribute to the standards and the distributing capacity of A. & S., to secure the entire allotment of these Rugs for the New York district. They go on sale Monday, in time to aid materially in Summer Furnishing.

### "Crex De Luxe" Quality

Finest and heaviest of all Grass Rugs in highly decorative colorings and designs.

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|----------------|---------|
| 9 x 11 1/2 ft. | \$18.75 |
| 9 x 10 ft.     | 16.85   |
| 8 x 9 1/2 ft.  | 15.95   |
| 6 x 8 1/2 ft.  | 10.95   |
| 6 x 7 1/2 ft.  | 8.75    |
| 4 1/2 x 7 ft.  | 6.75    |
| 4 1/2 x 6 ft.  | 5.50    |
| 4 1/2 x 5 ft.  | 4.50    |

### Examples:

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|---------------------------------|---------|
| The 9x12 ft. size (stock) is    | \$27.50 |
| The 9x11 1/2 ft. size (sale) is | 18.75   |
| The 6x9 ft. size (stock) is     | 16.75   |
| The 6x8 1/2 ft. size (sale) is  | 10.95   |

### "Crex" Herringbone Quality

Herringbone effect in weave and superior to regular weave in wearing qualities. Fancy and novelty designs.

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|----------------|---------|
| 9 x 11 1/2 ft. | \$16.75 |
| 9 x 10 ft.     | 15.25   |
| 8 x 9 1/2 ft.  | 13.25   |
| 6 x 8 1/2 ft.  | 8.75    |
| 6 x 7 1/2 ft.  | 7.50    |
| 4 1/2 x 7 ft.  | 5.75    |
| 4 1/2 x 6 ft.  | 4.75    |
| 4 1/2 x 5 ft.  | 3.75    |

### Examples:

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|---------------------------------|---------|
| The 9x12 ft. size (stock) is    | \$21.00 |
| The 9x11 1/2 ft. size (sale) is | 16.75   |
| The 8x10 ft. size (stock) is    | 18.00   |
| The 8x9 1/2 ft. size (sale) is  | 13.25   |

### "Crex" Regular Weave

A heavy Grass Rug of excellent quality at a very low price; figured effects.

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| 9 x 11 1/2 ft. | \$14.95 |
| 9 x 10 ft.     | 13.95   |
| 8 x 9 1/2 ft.  | 12.25   |
| 6 x 8 ft.      | 7.75    |
| 6 x 7 1/2 ft.  | 6.75    |
| 4 1/2 x 7 ft.  | 4.95    |
| 4 1/2 x 6 ft.  | 3.95    |
| 4 1/2 x 5 ft.  | 3.50    |

### Examples:

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|---------------------------------|---------|
| The 9x12 ft. size (stock) is    | \$17.75 |
| The 9x11 1/2 ft. size (sale) is | 14.95   |

Third floor, East